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Peanut butter in bulk, lb.	23c	Corn, 2 cans	25c
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**FRIDAY, APRIL 4th**

## LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

DeLuxe candies.—77-tf-c  
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You will find the best bread in Butter Cup wrappers. 02-tf-c  
Bill Hart in "Border Wireless"—Idlehour Sunday.—adv.

Charles Dove of Detroit is visiting with relatives in this city.  
Ladies' spring coats dry cleaned \$1.25 at the St. Alma Tailors.—adv.  
"Virtuous Wives"—Special attraction Liberty Tuesday and Wednesday.—adv.

Leon Stinchcomb was in Saginaw on business the latter part of last week.  
Groceries delivered. Both phones: Union 250-2R, Bell 40. Willet's grocery.—adv.

Dr. E. G. Shlyter, osteopathic physician, State Savings Bank Building, Alma, both phones. 57-tf  
Fatty Arbuckle will be at the Idlehour next Friday in "Good-night nurse."—It's a pippin!—adv.

Be sure to see "Riders of the Purple Sage" at the Liberty Sunday.—It's a wonderful picture.—adv.

Michigan grown spring wheat, extra quality for 1919 seedling \$2.40. Alma Grain and Lumber Co. \$3-4t-c  
There will be a meeting of the Women Voter's council at the city hall at 3:00 Thursday afternoon, March 20.

Rev. J. S. Raum left the first of the week for Harvey, Ill., where he will conduct a three weeks' revival meeting.

The S. Mary's Altar society will hold a baked goods sale at Crandell & Scott's store Saturday afternoon, March 15.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Ward and Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gerber attended the Saginaw automobile show the first of the week.

Get a program for next week's Idlehour and Liberty shows. A big star and a big production every day.—adv.

The Ladies' Aid society of the Presbyterian church will meet Tuesday afternoon, March 18, with Mrs. C. G. Rhodes.

George Simenton of Marquette visited with Alma friends over the week end and attended the Zeta Sigma banquet at the college Saturday evening.

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The Woman's club will hold its annual meeting on Monday, March 17, with Mrs. J. E. Mitchell, State street. The election of officers will be held at this meeting.

Ernest Hudson, local mail carrier who has been ill for the past three months, is able to be out again, but will not be able to get back at his work for some little time yet.

Carl Walters, J. F. Sartor, Jr., and other members of the Alma fire department were in Saginaw Saturday visiting with Claude Struble, who is ill in a hospital in that city.

It is understood that the trial of Inez Johnson of this city, charged with the murder of Beatrice Epler on the night of September 4, 1917, will come up for trial in the Isabella county circuit court May 8.

George H. Smith left today for a business and pleasure trip to Marshall, Cleveland, Adrian and Detroit. On March 17 he will attend the banquet of the Wayne County Civic association, which will be held in the latter city.

Milton Jackson of Detroit visited the first of the week at the home of his father, Rev. J. Frank Jackson. For some months Mr. Jackson has been employed in war work in a factory in Brunswick, N. J., and is just returning to his former position in Detroit.

Charles H. Murphy will return from his two weeks' eastern trip the latter part of this week, accompanied by his brother, William Murphy, who has received his discharge from the U. S. navy. It is the intention of Mr. Murphy to re-enter Alma college as soon as he gets back to Alma. He left college to enter the navy during the war.

## EAST ALMA

The many friends of Mrs. V. J. Slates, Marquette st., are sorry to learn that she and her little son, Harland, are both down with typhoid fever. Mr. Slates is just getting over his severe fight with this trouble.

The Fredericks family has moved into the house at the corner of Elmwood and Eastward.

The Fauls family has moved to a new home on the south side of Eastward near Pleasant avenue.

Twenty-five of the senior Endeavors of Eastminster chapel had a "Book" social at Mrs. Easlick's home on Hannah avenue. The young folks thoroughly enjoyed themselves.

The Ladies' Aid meets with Mrs. Edward Hinderleighter, Republic avenue, on Friday, March 14. Mrs. Hinderleighter lives in the first house north of the chapel. All the women of the community are invited to attend and spend a social afternoon.

Miss Lillian Swartout has given \$2.00 to the Eastminster piano fund. Thirty-nine dollars will settle this fund and every family is being asked to help square this account for the community center.

Mrs. Murphy, Grove avenue, and her children, who have just recovered from whooping cough, have been visiting her mother in the west part of town.

The Whitbeck family from near Grand Rapids has bought the home at 426 Bridge st. Mr. Crissman, an old neighbor, is staying with them for a few days.

Eastminster chapel is planning on a "drive" for better church attendance. Morning service at 10:30 a. m. Theme: "Why Must the Church Organize its Forces as Never Before?" Evening service 7 p. m. Theme: "The Call to Enlist Under the Flag of the Church." Sunday school meets at 2:45 and the C. E. society at 6 p. m.

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## ARCADA GRANGE

Arcada Grange held its regular session Saturday evening, March 8. In the absence of the worthy master, W. O. Anna Wood filled the chair. It was decided not to hold the one day institute, it being too late in the season and word was sent to the speaker to that effect. The lecture hour was begun with the singing of several numbers from the new song books. A communication was received from The League to Enforce Peace of which ex-President Taft is president, urging the grange to adopt resolutions endorsing the plan of The League of Nations. The matter was left for discussion and vote at the next meeting at which time it is hoped all members will be present. Worthy Lecturer Ethel Smith gave a very interesting account of the "Lost Battalion." Her brother, Lieut. Floyd Smith is in the 77th Division of which this battalion was one of the units. Twenty-five answered to roll call. Next meeting will be held March 22. Grange closed in form.

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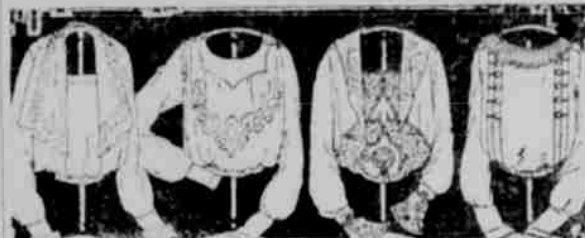
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